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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
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Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Fee Description	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims** - 20 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
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In response to the Office action of June 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified  
5 application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.